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Glen Canyon News Release

Rainbow Bridge Trail Reopens

Page, AZ – The trail to Rainbow Bridge was reopened this morning after National Park Service maintenance crews made significant progress in repairing the trail. Visitors hiking to Rainbow Bridge are urged to use caution, as sections of the trail remain very rough. Park crews will be continuing to repair and reconstruct the trail over the coming weeks.

Rainbow Bridge National Monument was closed last Friday, October 6, after major flooding washed out sections of the trail to Rainbow Bridge, creating unsafe conditions. Since October 6, Lake Powell has risen by 4½ feet due to the floods, an amount almost unheard of at this time of the year.

The trail to Rainbow Bridge is approximately 2 ½ miles round trip. Visitors should remember to wear hiking boots and bring along water.

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